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- 1. A student of mining engineering who recently completed his course with honors was summoned to the Ministry of Interior where he was interrogated on his political views two to three hours daily for a week by a commission. After satisfying itself as to his political reliability from the point of view of the regime, the commission informed him that he would be sent to the USSR for advanced study. The student thereupon requested a delay of two days to consider the matter, and at the end of the period rejected the proposal on the grounds that he did not wish to leave his parents and fiancee.
- Z. Following his refusal to go the USSR for further study the student was ordered to work for two years in a mine in Northern Rumania under conditions that did not permit advanced work in engineering. His parents have been unable to secure a reversal of this decision.

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